

**To:** Washburn, Ben[washburn.ben@epa.gov]  
**From:** Mahler, Tom  
**Sent:** Wed 12/21/2016 9:26:16 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Bridgeton Dust sampling QAPP

Not my experience at all but I'm glad you were able to get it worked out.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 21, 2016, at 2:49 PM, Washburn, Ben <[washburn.ben@epa.gov](mailto:washburn.ben@epa.gov)> wrote:

Made my reservation.

They have the most painful reservation system ever. It was terrible.

Or as Charles Barkley would say, turrble.

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**From:** Mahler, Tom  
**Sent:** Monday, December 19, 2016 4:20 PM  
**To:** Washburn, Ben <[washburn.ben@epa.gov](mailto:washburn.ben@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** FW: Bridgeton Dust sampling QAPP

Hotel information

FYI

**From:** Mahler, Tom  
**Sent:** Sunday, December 18, 2016 12:14 PM  
**To:** Kappelman, David <[Kappelman.David@epa.gov](mailto:Kappelman.David@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** Re: Bridgeton Dust sampling QAPP

Hey Dave,

Just a heads up on the hotel I'm planning to stay at.

Here is the address:

Holiday Inn Airport West Earth City

3400 Rider Trail South

St. Louis, MO

Gov rate available

Seems like there are plenty of rooms

Very friendly staff, I stay there frequently

Beds are new and in my opinion comfortable

Spanish village is right between the hotel and the landfill

5 minute or less drive to where we will be working with no highways or traffic issues

There are Marriott and Hilton hotels very close as well.

Let me know if you have any issues getting a room.

I made my reservation from the 26th to Friday the 30th but I'm hoping we can head out on Thursday.

Tom

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 18, 2016, at 12:06 PM, Kappelman, David <[Kappelman.David@epa.gov](mailto:Kappelman.David@epa.gov)> wrote:

Sounds good Tom. Sounds like it may warm up some for Christmas week too.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 16, 2016, at 4:47 PM, Mahler, Tom <[mahler.tom@epa.gov](mailto:mahler.tom@epa.gov)> wrote:

Final update for the week.

EPA Region 7 is very close to having the QAPP complete for the investigation of 2 or 3 residences in the Spanish Village Subdivision of Bridgeton, MO.

I just received a final set of comments from my risk assessor and want to make sure those are adequately addressed before I send the QAPP out to the group to review.

At this point, I do not have enough time to address those today but will plan to do so first thing Monday morning. As soon as these last comments are addressed, I will provide this QAPP to this group for your respective reviews. I'm hoping we can have call to discuss everyone's comments and determine whether formal written comments are needed at that time. I will send out an invite for that call next week immediate after sending the QAPP.

As I discussed with everyone earlier this week, this investigation is not going to occur next week. That will give us just a few days to attempt to incorporate your suggestions and discuss any comments you may have.

Thanks again for your willingness to support EPA Region 7 with this effort.

I will talk to you all next week,

Tom Mahler

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